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nuary 23, Diomeo, British steamer, 1,241,	Notices of Figure. NOTICE. HAVE This Day Established wygelf at	TO LET. TO LET. TO LET.	Anctions. Public Auction.	PENERAL WEEKLY SALE, at the Sales	HONGRONG, CANTON, AND MACAU SPEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.	FOR BANGKOK.
Jakson, Shanghai 17th January and Foodbow 20th, General Burrenneld & Swire.	deneral commission Agent. O. KEES.	inges of the Control Department. Each may be occupied as entire Dwellings or in Floors.	HE Undersigned have received instructions	DAY, at Noon. And, for Account of the Concerned, 32 Cluses MATCHES, each 50 Gross.		G. J. Hopkins, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the
Clearances. At the Harbour Marter's Office,	MR HENRY COHEN has this Day joined me in Business.	TEN BPACIOUS GODOWNS, connected with the above, fronting the Harbour and Queen's Road.	on the Spot.— All that PIECE of PARCEL of GROUND, situated in Queen's Road East, near the	25 Bales Soda Water CORKS. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots.	HALF YEARLY MEETING of SHARE HOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Corr HALL. Victoria, Hongkong, TO-MOB. BOW, the 25th January instant, at 2 o'clock in	For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,
JANUARY 23 RD. uglas, British steamer, for East Coast. larney, British steamer, for Sa gon.	Im 6 Hongkong, let January, 1877. NOTICE.	Apply to StIARP, TOLLER, AND JOHNSON. 19. Hongkong, 2nd Juniury, 1877. TO BE LET.	THREE CHINASE HOUSES, built of Brick.	chaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. J. M. GUEDES, Jun., Auctioneer. 152 Hongkong, 24th January, 1877.	the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a State ment of Accounts, and electing Auditors. By Order of the Board of Directors,	148 Hongkong, 24th January, 1877. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
Departures. uary 28, Amor, British str., for Ningpo	MR. LUDWIG SIEGMUND LUTKENS is Authorized to SIGN our FIRM per procuration. WM. PUSTAU & Co.	253 E IN PRIMITARS of present occupied by	After which on the Spot,— All that PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND, situated in Queen's Road, Wanchi, and re- gistered in the Land Office as Inland Lot	PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions from H.M. Naval Storckeeper to Sell by	P. A. DA COSTA, Secretary. 86 Hongkong, 2nd January, 1877.	FOR SHANGHAI, Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for HARROW, NINGPO, and Ports in JAPAN.
ind Shanghai.	Im 7 Hongkong, let January, 1877. NOTICE. HE Business of the Undersigned will benceforth be carried on under the Namo	MEYER & Co. 1976 Hangkong, 12th December, 1878 TO LET.	No. 793. For further Particulars, apply to the Undersigned. TERMS OF SALE.—One-bull of the Parchase	Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY, the Slat January, 1877, at 11 o'clock A.M., at-	HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO- STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED	THE Company's Steamship "STENTOR" will be despatched on or about the dist instant.
Passingers. Armyed. Diomed, str., from Shanghai, &c.:- Hongkong.—Mr. A. W. Rothwell and 23:	or Style of H. KIZER & Co. H. KIZER.	No. 7, CAINE ROAD, lately occupied by	Money to be paid on the full of the lammer,	Sundry NAVAL and VICTUALLING STORES, comprising:	VIHE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the	For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. 149 Hongkong, 24th January, 1877.
e, For London, Mr. W. G. Strougehand To DEPART.	NUTICE: NUTICE: NOTICE: NOT	cupied by the Rev. R. H. KIDD	The Property to be at the risk of the Purchaser from the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Austioneer.	CASKS and CASES, BISCUITS and BIS- CUIT DUST, CHOCOLATE, FLOUR, Bis- cuit BAGS, Blue OLOTH, Blue SERGE, STOCKINGS, SHIRTS, HANDKER-	By Order of the Board of Directors. P. A. DA COSTA. Secretary.	TREASURY BILLS.
Douglas, str., for East Coast:— shin and 123 Chinese. Hillarney, str., for Saigon:—	SIGN for us by proparation. CARLOWITZ & Co. 1m 9 Hongkong, let January, 1877.	tf 512 Hongkong, 11th January, 1877. TO LET. WELLING HOUSE, No. 4, Alexan-	103 Hongkong, 15th January, 1877. PUBLIC AUCTION.	CHIEFS, IMPLEMENTS, &c., &c., &c. TERMS OF SALE,—Oash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots.	THE OHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	TENDERS of SPECIE, Mexican Dollars operent in this Colony, weighing 7.1.7, in exchange for BILLS; drawn at 10 days eight, on the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's
Reports.	NOTIOE. THE PARTNERSHIP bitherto existing be to tween the Undersigned under the Name of MESTERN and HULSE has This Day been	BAILEY STREET. The UPPER PORTION of Nos. 43 and 44,	THE Undersigned will Sell by Public Auc- tion, TO MORROW, the 25th January, 1877, at Noon, at his Sales	with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Government Auctioneer.	THE EIGHTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will	quired, and the amount for which each Bill
British steamship Diomed reports left the on 17th January and Foodbow on the and had moderate monsoon and fine or throughout.	DISSOLVED by lapse of time, and the Signature of the Firm will hencelorth boused for the Liquidation only. O. J. MESTERN.	Queen's ROAD. Apply td DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 1864 Hongkong, 11th Junuary, 1877.	Roome, Queen's Road,— Cases Quarts STUUT, CHAMPAGNE, and VERMOUTH. Kerosine Hanging LAMPS.	120 Mongkong, 19m onduity, 1017.	ROAD, Victoria, at 2 o'clock in the Afternoon of FRIDAY, the 16th February next, for the	should be drawn; but no Bills will be issued for sums below £1,000. The Tendors to be in duplicate, in Sealed Covers, addressed to "The Treasurer," and
FOOCHOW SHIPPING.	W. HULSE. 3m. 13 Canton, 31st December, 1876. NOTICE. THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY in our	TO BE LET. YWO Commedions HOUSES, in QUEEN'S ROAD EAST. Rent, \$25 per month.	White Lend PAINU. HUBBUOK'S Copul VARNISH. Toilet SOAP, TOBACCO POUCHES, Bar	the 3rd February, 1877, at 2 o'clock Fat., No. 34,	and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1876. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Complete will be OLOSED from the 3rd to the 16th	The right to accept or reject any or all the Tenders is reserved.
Lalu, British schooner, from Shanghai. Diomed, British steamer, from Shanghai. Bry DEPARTURES.	FIRM of the late Mr. J. O. KRUSE CEASED with his death at Yokohama on the 27th of August last, and the Business will be carried on as heretofore, and under the same	Apply to PURDON & Co., No. 2, Queen's Road. 1923 Hongkong, let Down ber, 1876.	SOAP, JAMS, JELLIES, TART FRUITS, GREEN PEAS, &c. Black CLOTH, FLANNELS, STOCKINGS, and TIES.	Sundry HOUSE HOLD FUR NITURE, comprising :- English Rosewood Red Rep- covered Drawing Room SUIT, Dining and	By Order, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,	Assistant Commissary General, Treasury Office, Commissariat Buildings, Queen's Road, Hongkong, 20th January, 1877. [136]
Ohefoo, Fritish steamer, for Shaughal. Douglas, British steamer, for Hongkong.	Style and Firm by our Mr. H. KUHLMANN. Mr. RICHARD SOHONBERGER has been Authorized to SIGN the FIZM.	Apply to	RIDGES. 1 Remineton RIFLE and 40 CARTEIDGES.	Bedroom SUITS, PIER GLASSES, Brussells CARPETS, OURTAINS, CHANDELIERS, HEARTHBUGS, ENGRAVINGS, Dinner, Dessert, and Breakfast SETS, GLASS and	134 Hongkong, 19th January, 1877. THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED	FOR SALE, H. E. A. P. M. U.S. I. C. EX "BRAEMAR CASTLE" and
Arrivals. Hermine, Cermso bark, from Nagesaki. Gordon Castic, Brit. str., from London. Minus, German bark, from Sydney.	Im 10 Hongkong is Jennary 1877 NOW OE. NOW SEN has been com-	tr 2059 Hongwong, 29th December, 1870. TO BE LET.	RIDGES. 1 Remington BIFLE and 40 CARTRIDGES. 1 STARP'S CARBINE and 50 CART.	TERMS OF SALE,—Cash before delivery in	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	The usual monthly supply, a Fine Collection of Operatic, Dance, and Youat MUSIC has just been opened. Also Farmer's and
Plymouth Rock, Amr. str., from Mankow. Golden State, Amr. ship, from New York. Lee Yuen, Ohinese steamer, from Cheloo.	IVI. pelled to rethe from our Firm in consequence of failing health, and his Interest and Responsibility OEASED on the list December last.	(With Immediate Possession), THE PREMISES, No. 8, PRAYA, latery to the compation of Mosses, Gilman & Co., Gas and Water laid on.	RIDGES 1 Carbine SLING, with BUCKLE. 1 Cours New Holster REVOLVER, 50 CARTRIDGES, 2 HOLSTERS, and BELT.	Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG,	MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in	RICHARD'S PIANOFORTE, HARMONIUM, and SINGING TUTORS. J. M. GUEDES, Jun.
Nagoya Maru, Japan, etr., from Naguaki. Wm. Terner, British bark, from Sydney. Hankow, British steamer, from Hankow. Tahyewfung, Aur. etr., from Hankow.	Mr. NICOLAUS AUGUST SLEBS has been Authorized to SIGN for us by precuration. We have This Day RE-OPENED a Branch of our Firm at Canton.	Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. tf 704 Hongkong, 16th May, 1876, TO LET. A FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWN	1 COLT'S Belt REVI)LVER, 50 CART- RIDGES 2 HOLS FERS, and BELT. And Sundry other GOODS. TREMS OF SALE.—Oash before delivery in	144 Rongkong, 23rd January, 1877.	o'clook in the Afternoon, to receive a Statement of Accounts for the year 1876, the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Anditors.	A Y OUNG, SHIP CARPENTER, BOATBUILLER, CAULKER, AND
Roan Maru, Amr. str., from Nagasaki. Kiang-yung, Chinese str., from Hankow. Nauking, American str., from Hankow. Constance, British bark, from Swatow.	SIEMSSEN & Co. Sm 12 Hongkong let January, 1877 NO ICE	on the Praya, Wancoul.	Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Liots with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers risk on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG.	LAMMERT, ATKINSON AND CO.	JARDINE, MATRESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited	
DEPPARTURES. Shanghai, British steamer, for Kinkings. Klang Kwan, Chinese str., for Hankow. Jane Wooburn, British bark, for Cheloo.	THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. JOHN T. A. ALEXANDER, in our Firm, CEASED on Sist ultimo. JOHNSTON & Co.	With Immediate Possession, TOUSES on Upper Mosque Terrace. All	150 Hongkong, 24th January, 1871.	NEW LOOKS: NOVELS, WORKS OF REFERENCE, SCHOOL BOOKS, PRESENTATION BOOKS, &c., &c.	THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	Nearly opposite No. 7, Police Station. NOTICE. On and after the 15th January, my Charge for Brokerage on all SHARES will be
Hirado, American steamer, for Hankow. Leander, British ship, for New York. Mikado, British ship, for Amoy. Honon, American steamer, for Hankow.	3m 15 Amoy, 1st January, 1877. NOTICE. THE INTEREST and Responsibility of	A First-class GODOWN at Wanchi of about 5,000 tons capacity.	HE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction. TO MORROW.	SHED MUSIC:	HE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company	HALF PER CENT. on the Full Amount, be paid by the Seller only. W. M. MORGAN,
Batrak, Russian steamer, for Nagasski. Hankow, British steamer, for Hankow. Plymouth Rock, Amr. str., for Hankow. Lalu, British schooner, for Foochow.	I VISCOUNT DO CEROA Lin our Firm CEASED from the let-April, 1876, A, A. Du MELLIO & Co. Im 56 Mucao, let January, 1877.	Apply to T. G. LINSTEAD, 1464 Hongkong, 27th September, 1876.	the 25th January, 1877, at the Residence o E. Lilley, Esq. No. 1, Stanley Street, at 2 P.M., the whole of his	STATIONERY, in GREAT VARIETY. A Large Assortment of	I will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 20th february next, both days included. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Bunnagers,	Im 104 Hongkong, 13th January, 1877. A L G A R, HOUSH AND ESTATE AGENT
Hankwang, Chinese steamer, for Chefoo. Dragon, British steamer, for Nagasaki. Nevada, American steamer, for Nagasaki. John Polts, British bark, for Nagasaki.	NOTICE FINE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. CHARLES BEWICK QUALCH in our Firm CEASED on the 30th September, 1876.	PAID-UP CAPITAL 5.000.000 of Dollars.	Also, A Splendid COTTAGE PIANO, by PIXEL	THOUGHT DIOPHID DO	Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited 138 Hongkong, 20th January, 1877. NOTEEE.	BROWN JONES & Co., UNDERTAKERS, MOURNING STATIONERY, &c.,
Ta-yue-tung, American etr., for Hankow. Serpent, British burk, for Nagasaki. Harriet Armitags, Brit. bk., for Nagasaki.	The Business will be continued under the Style of CAMPBELL & Co. QUELOH & CAMPBELL. Im 14 Swatow. Lt Japuary, 1877.	Court of Directors:— Chairman—E. R. BELILIOS, Esq. Deputy Chairman—AD. ANDRE, Esq. J. F. Cordes, Req.	Mexican Dollars weighod at 7.1.7. All Lote with all faults and errors of description, at pur oboser's risk on the fall of the hammer.	by Govern & Co. TABLE GLASSWARE, in many Designs FINE ENGLISH EARTHENWARE, DINNER and DESSERT SETS, &c., &c.	late of Sydney, N.S.W.,	MONUMENTS ERECTED, 20] 9 HOLLYWOOD ROAD. OOLLINGS'S PATENT TYPHOON AN EURGLAR PROTECTOR.
els that have arrived in Europe om Ports in China, Japan and Manila.	NUTIOE. I HAVE Re-established myself as a GENE- RAL MERCHANT and COMMISSION	H. Hoppitzs, Esq. S. W. Pumeroy, Suq.	J. M. GUEDES, Jr., Auctionee 147 Hougkong, 23rd January, 1877. GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.	SOLID LEATHER and other TRAVELLING TRUNKS. GENTLEMEN'S TOOL CHESTS. PERAMEULATORS, Double and Single.	and SINGING,	THE Undersigned are now prepared to app the above to Windows and Venetians. Apply to
Hongkong Nov. 27	AGENT, and have taken over the Business of Messre. EBELL & Co. at this Port, and the combined Establishments will be carried on under the Firm and Style of MILISCH & Co.		ANE, ORAWFORD & Go. will Sell b Public Auction, in their Sale Room Praya Central, on		prepared to attend Pupils for either of the	C. E. COLLINGS, No. 20, Praya Central. Mesars. WILSON & SALWAY, Architect R. G. ALFORD, Esq., Surveyor. COMPASS DEVIATION IN IRON SHIP
Hongkong Nov. 27 ilton Nov. 28 a (s) China Ports. Nov. 28 Mantla Nov. 20	2m 49 Macao, 1st January, 1877. NOTICE. THE Old-established Dispensing Business.	HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. On Ourrent Deposit Accounts at the rate of percent, per unnum on the daily balance.	FRIDAY,	STOVES. VASE LAMPS, Very Handsome. SHIP'S MASTHEAD and SIDE-LIGHT LAMPS		DESCRIBED PRACTICALLY, By R. M. Talbot, Just published, and favourably noticed by t
en Castler Manila Nov. 29 1 (s.) Uhina Ports Dec. 1 1 (a.) Manila Dec. 2	"THE ORIENTAL DISPENSARY," will, from This Date, the Superintendence of Mr. F. P. SOARES.	On Fixed Deposits:— Sor 3 months 2 percent personnum	BOTTLES, with Assorted SCENT, ESS BOT QUET, JOCKEY CLUB, LAVINDE WATER, COLOGNE WATER, Toilet an Shaving SOAPS, MARKING INK, Ha	CROSSE and BLACKWELL'S STORES. CALIFORNIA STORES. d GERMAN VEGEL'ABLES, SAUSAGES,	PIANOS AND HARMONIUMS TUNED AND REPAIRED. PROSPECTUS AT MESSES. KRUSE & Co.	local Fress in Hongkong and Shanghai. PRICE TWO DOLLARS. SOLD BY Messrs LANE, ORAWFORD & Co.
China Ports. Dec. 2 Hiogo Dec. 2 Hankow Dec. 4 Adder Dec. 4	L. NORONHA, Proprietor. 14d 111 Hongkong, 15th January, 1877. NOTICE.	LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Oredits—granted on approved Securities, and every destriction of Banking and Exchange	BRUSHES, Cloth and Hat BRUSHES, VIC	NUJEEB KHAN & CO'V	82 - Hongkong, 11th January, 1877.	Messrs. McEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. Messrs. GEORGE FALCONER & Co. Messrs. BROADBEAR, ANTHONY & Co. Messrs. BAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
essels Expected at Hongkong. (Corrected to Date.) Date. Date.	R. H. EBELL has THIS DAY been admitted a PARTNER in my FIRM at Swarow and Holhow, which in future will be carried on under the Name or Style of	Brafts-granted on London, and the chie commercial places in Europe, India, Australia America China and Japan.	100 Gross Flaming FUSEES. 4 Cases Safety MATCHES.	PICKLED CAULIFLOWERS, TAMARIND FISH, JAMS, JELLIES, &c., &c., &c.	We have secured some Excellent Wines on	G O. ROGERS, DENTAL SURGEO
Bichmond June 9 on Stather Newcastle July 25 Hamburg Spt. 1 or Cardiff Sept. 8	"Hebron, Ebell & Co." BOWARD HERTON. Im 108 Swatow-Holbow, 1st January, 1877. NOTICE.		Terms of Salz.—Cash before delivery a Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lot with all feults and errors of description, at Pu		Oognac-of the well-known-shippers, Guttan S Falmer & Co., and invite comparison with an and all other brands.	HONGKONG
roia	HE PARTNERSHIP bitherto existing be-			WCERS OF REFERENCE: DICTIONARIES. WORKS ON BOOKKEEPING.	We have to offer: Per 1 doz. quart OUTLER, PALMER & CO.'s CHAMPAGNE, 515	R. J. PENATI, PROFESSOR OF MUSI from the Royal Conservatorium of Mile now residing in Macso, visite Hongkong Thru DAYS A WEEK, viz., Monday, Tuesday, an
Stalknecht	GUSTAV RAYNAL. CARLI MILISOH. Bm. 34 . Mucao, 181 January, 1877.	SURANCES at Current Rates. MELCHERS & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company	FINE Undersigned has received instruction from M. S. TONNOCHY, Esq. to Sell b	s BEETON'S USEFUL BOOKS.	OUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s CHATEAU S12	0 Wennesday, to give LESSONS on the PIAN
a Send Antwerp Ot. 2	NOTIOE. WE have This Day Transferred our Commission and Adency Business in Macao to Ma C. MILISOH, who henceforth	COMPANY AT HAMBURG.	the 26th day of January, 1877, at 2 P.M., a BROOK COTTAGE, Caine Road, The whole of his English and Colonial	ING LANGUAGE, adapted to the French Spanish, German, and Italian; with Keys t	CUTLER, PALMER & CO.'S CHATEAU TO LAROSE. CUTLER, PALMER & CO.'S ST. JULIEN 76	Notices to Consignees. TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARG
ra	will continue the same together with his own BUSINESS under the Firm and Style of MILISUH & Co. All Outstanding Accounts of our Firm wil	SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first	SUITÉS, CARVED BOOK CASE, PIE GLASSES, ENGRAVINGS, Marble-to	NOVELS:- COMPLETE SETS OF DICKENS'S AND		
cen Chief Cardiff Nov. 28 are Cardiff Nov. 28 are Cardiff Nov. 28	be settled by Mesers MILISCH & Co. EBBLL & Co. 2m 11 Macao, 1st January, 1877.	MELCHERS & Co. 11 674 Honekong, 27th March, 1876. ? THE UHINA FIRE INSURANCE	DRESSING TABLE and WALHSTANI Marble-top TEA POYS, PLATED WARI OHTLERY, GLASSWALLE, Dinner, Desser and Broakfast SETS.	THE RUBY, ROSE, AND LILY SERIES. The full Works of Anthony Trollope. Charle		the Undersigned not later than the 2
Ern	NOTIUE. MR. WM. O. HOWLAND is authorized to SIGN our FIRM'S NAME per procura tion.		A Collection of BOOKS, Japanese and Obnese POROELAIN and LACQUERE WARE, Ningpo CARVINGS. A Large Collection of FLOWERING and	And other Novels by good Authors, serioud and humorous.	Vino Furo, blue seal	OOEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. O CONSIGNEES per Company's Steam
acotion dates to-day.	WILLIAMS & Co. 6m 1933 Swatow, December 1st, 1876. NOTICE. I. HAVE THIS DAY Established myself a	China and Japan, and at Singapore Saigon and Penang. Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance	other PLANTS. An AVIARY and One Large TENT. Catalogues will be issued, and the whole i	1725 Hongkong, 31st October, 1876	OUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s SHERRY, 1 500 Vino de Pasto, blue seal	Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and land at the Golowns of the Undersigned; in be cases it will lie at Consigned risk. The Car
J: M A R M S T R O N G. At 12 noon, * Ground, with Houses.	This Port as MEROHANT and COM MISSION AGENT. J. ALEXANDER: 3m 41 Amoy, 1st January, 1877	Above-mentioned Ports. No charge for Policy (ces. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,	TRANS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery. Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lot with all faults and errors of description, at pu	Journal) will be Published at Tokio of SAUUtDAY, January 5th, 1877. Terms of Subscription:—312 per Year	OUTLER, PALMER & CO. 8 COGNAC 3 star \$9	down on and after the 22nd January, 1877. Goods undelivered eafter the 29th January
J. M. GUEDE <u>S</u> , — At 12 noon, Snidry Goods.	NOTICE. THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of the late Mr. ALFRED HUTCHI-ON in ou		5 chasers risk on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctionee	Advertisements: 50 Cents per Inch or par of an inch, and \$5 per Column. Corders received by	WACHTER & Co.s CELEBRATED	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents
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GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT TARLO and TAIWANTOC. 3m 1856 Takeo, November, 1876.	VON PUSTAU, JUN, is authorized to SIGN our FIRM.	Perts of the World at correct rates. This Association will, until further notice provide out of the earnings, first for an interes	PLATED WARE, Ac., &c., &c., And	TO UBORGS FABRIKKE DANISH BEER. To be had from	MACAO HOTEL, PRAYA GRANDE, MACAO.	landed at their risk by the Undersigned in their Godswas, whence from the Wharf Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be sent on to Shang
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HONGKONG, JANUARY 24TH, 1877.

THE agrarian disturbances in Japan have already borne fruit. The Government has: with great wisdom, resolved to remove all cause for disaffection among the rural population, and to this end has made a great decree, dated the 4th instant, has been issued stating that; the MIRADO having recently tion, out of sympathy for their condition it has been determined to still further. land-tax, and the remainder taxation for election. local purposes. As a matter of course so vast a reduction could not be made without retiring Anditors, are recommended by the involving either fresh taxation in another /Directors for re-election. direction or else a general retrenchment in/

the public expenditure. The Government has determined, however, to provide for it by the latter course, and large reductions in the expenditure of the various Departments have been made accordingly, amounting it all to mearly seven millions of yen. A reduction

in the salaries of officials has also taken while the Department of Religion entirely abolished, and the affairs formerly him Mr. Kingsmill, instructed by Mr. Brereton. transacted in them transferred to the Naimusho (Home Department). Other changes are reported to have been made, and it is in contemplation to reduce the expenditure for the Imperial household on the return of His Majesty from his projected visit to Kiote. A saving of some eight millions of measure for the capitalization of the incomes of the nobles and gentry, and this sum wil caused by the roduction in the land tax. But the concession to the agriculturists will severe economy to make both ends meet, and railways and the opening of mines will rebellions. There will now be no excuse for the bucolic rioters have dispersed and gone this great and costly concession to the to the native Press. The Press-laws have serious gag on the expression of free opinion. thereby avoid raising a great deal of ill feelbeen subjected, but on the contrary a great witness, no security being taken, was not deal of sympathy has been roused for it which to that effect were proved to the entisfaction of may, by and bye, assume a character inimical | the jury, he said it was not a reasonable one to the Administration. Any attempt to burke the expression of public opinion-by-a to fulfil their contracts, and it so it would not Government must always be regarded as a

THE Vicercy of Chihli has, it is announced instructed Mr. Berrs, of the torpedo school at Tientein, to erest a short line of telegraph is situated several miles east of the foreign part of His Excellency to foreign inventions, in the military armaments of his country The Tientsin correspondent of our Shanghai morning contemporary, who notifies the fact. regards it as a step in the right direction and trusts "that progress in other directions, and fit the people directly, may not be long \$5; or, with the Lists of Residents, Port Direct for such an anticipation. The Viceroy his objects. He is also quite ready to, if possible, beat foreigners with their own weapons, sinco-he is well-assured that they cannot be worsted by any others. Hence he is ready to go to any expense in order to acquire either warlike material or steamers. He wishes to have both an army and anavv. and is doing his best to obtain them. At the name time he takes little interest in any public works or measures to benefit the heard of no cases in Nagasaki of advances of the fair sex. The Supper Room was also a people. He is quite absorbed in the pursuit Tientsin and Mesers. Hall & Holtz and Kelly of his one great aim, and it is to be feared & Waleb. Shanghal. that he will never initiate any progressive cross examination what his present occupation clicited very general and warm admiration. undertaking unless it is plain to him that it will at the same time assist forward the pro-

tions of the people.

jects he has so much at heart. The steamers Calabar, Chinkiang, and Yang tize have arrived at Shingbai. The steamer Pautah bas left that port

The Hochi Shimbun save that a Chinese firm is about to run a line of steamers between Kobe and Shanghai.

At the Marine Magistrate's Court vesterday. Mr. J. J. Collaco, Assistant Inspector of Junks, charged Wong Apo, muster of the lank I-honwith not reporting his arrival on the 17th instant | money in order to prevent them backing out, of the people is really supposed to be the voice and with not obtaining an anchorage pass. Defendant was fined \$5.

given by the band of the 28th Regiment in the ployed as banto in a European house, gave evi Garrison Theatre. The force was very suc. dence to the effect that there was no fixed rule cessfully given, each part being well sustained. I as to contracts between Japanese and foreigners The Minstrel troupe acquitted themselves in a lifer the purchase of rice or other produce; some highly-creditable manner, and the song "Sweet | times advances were made and sometimes not, Home" was warmly encored. The performance Notice. To avoid delay in the execution of will be repeated to morrow night.

> It is stated that Sir John Francis Davie has transferred to the Chancellor, master, and scholars of the University of Oxford the sum of 21,666 13. 4d. Three per Cent. Console for the purpose of endowing a echolarship for the encouragement of the study of Chinese, in such a manner and subject to such regulations as the university shall from time to time determine.

26th instant:of Association the Directors have again to sub- would yo to live with a relative for a correspond to the effect that an enterprising firm of another with the relative for a correspond to the effect that an enterprising firm of another with the relative for a correspond to the effect that an enterprising firm of another with the relative for a correspond to the effect that an enterprising firm of another with the relative for a correspond to the effect that an enterprising firm of another with the relative for a correspond to the effect that an enterprising firm of another with the relative for a correspond to the effect that an enterprising firm of another with the relative for a correspond to the effect that an enterprising firm of another with the relative for a correspond to the effect that an enterprising firm of an enterprising f mit to you their half-yearly report with state- short time, and he could pay rent for the ment of accounts for the six months ending bouse up to the time he left at the rate 31st December, 1876.

Meants. H. Smith and A. E. Vaucher, the and Mr. Wotton for defendant.

January 23rd. IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. BEFORE THE HON ORIEF JUSTICE STR

SUPREMENTOURT

BROWNE AND ANOTHER V. ALABOR AND AN OTHER, \$12,307,92, Mr. Russell, Instructed by Mesers. Sharp, Toller, and Johnson, was for the plaintiffs; and the Attorney General and with Newton, H. Hoppius, H. Cope, H. L. Dairym. ple. C. Kahn, T. G. Williamson, and F. D. Sassoup. The hearing of this case was con-

for the defence, proceeding with his review of shillings. and argument on the correspondence. He en deavoured to show by reference to the accounts that it was not plaintiffs' original intention to Akum, a dealer in old clothes in Lascar Row you, it was calculated, would arise from the charge defendants with the bargain money paid With reference to the Walton be said there had running away with them. been a beavy loss, and he contended that that loss should fall upon the plaintiffs, as it was in about make up the remainder of the deficiency | consequence of their representation that the Walton was sent up, and the demurrage and diff renos in freight incurred on that vessel had Tai, the owner of licensed pullaway boat No bind themselves in any way whatever, but when 11 p.m. on the 19th instant. they found there was likely to be a heavy loss and will undoubtedly limit the progress of they agreed to snything which would reduce it been loaded at all. Under these circumstances. now either have to be postponed or proceeded defendants were justified in relusing acceptance with on a small scale, for there will be no funds of plaintiffs' draft. He enbmitted that when the commission agent advises purchase of produce the wharf. He thought he heard a call for available for any undertakings of the wort at the principal is entitled to deal with it as if he boat and went close to get a fare. present. But, on the other hand, it may be actually had possession. It the jury came to Fined \$5; in default, a ven days hard labour hoped that the agriculturists will be pacified the conclusion that this was the arrangement between the parties they would say defendants George Orley, Inspector of Markets, sum 30th May, 1874, defendants said- We are into the slaughter-house.

Now that the Japanese Government has made nothing?" That, he contended, was the under- observable without close examination and had standing throughout, as was shown by plaintiffs, only just commenced. The defendant did what not having charged interest on the advance. he wiebed without any demur. The beifer was. peasants, it is to be hoped that it will make and up to the 30th May they evidently, looked removed at once and be went to the defendant's one less costly, but almost as much needed, apon the bargain money as an advance on their lan and inspected the cattle there and found own account and not on that of defendants, them all healthy. The Colonial-Surgeon and The same appeared from a letter of plaintiffs | the Registrar General knew of this disease been harshly interpreted, and have proved a written on December 17th, 1874, and the first amongst cattle, and have taken precautionary intimation defendants had of other sums being measures. He had a constable specially enclaimed than that due under the account our- ployed to sesist him in the supervision of the The Government might safely indulge the rent was on the 12th March, 1875. Having slaughter-house so that it was not probable that Press with a little more liberty; and would gone through the correspondence the learned diseased meat could enter the market. Attorney commented upon the evidence given by Mr. McPherson for the plaintiffs. He ing. The influence of the Press is in no way submitted that the advancing of the bargain impaired by the persecution to which it has money under the conditions described by the but the case was remanded until the 29th instant. reasonable way of doing business, and if a custom

There might be a custom to advance a hundred

per cent. without security, trusting to the parties

be reasonable to conform to it. The difference between the two was only one of subount. As | The Canton Joss House ingrowly excaped confession of weakness, likely to impair its to the first contract, plaintiffs had been guilty authority and weaken its hold on the affect of negligence in allowing a portion of the instant. The kitchen and other out-houses were rice to remain in the godowns beyond the burnt down, but, by great exertions, the fixmes time for delivery, when they could not get were prevented from resoling the main buildpossession of it. As to Mr. McPherson's bargain money, he could not speak on the Japaness law on the subject; he could only say other instant. About one handred houses were merchants had done so because he had asked destroyed; but, so far as we can learn, the actual connecting his yamin and the arsenal, which two firms, and this was after the difference had loss of property was fortunately small, and we sricen between the parties. A custom of that do not hear of any loss of life. kind could not be established by two or three settlement. This is an additional proof, first, persons in an out-of-the way place like Osaka, almost immediately for Tamania, and thence to the Sist ultimo, when it once more closed over. 1869 their fleet consisted of forty-six steamships But Hangary loves neither the Garman nor of the absence of personal prejudice on the and in a trade of only a few months standing. Hongkong there to be re-commissioned. The We had been having couth-easterly winds, with and nine subsidiar yessels, possessing an aggre- the Slay-the latter least of all-and of course and, secondly; of the intense interest he takes inaposition to speak auto the usage of merchante. No universal custom had been established. It have become deservedly popular. was a one side i affair altogether, different people submitting to different conditions, and been appointed Agents at this port for the Im- the night, to the dopth of six inches or more tons. The reorganization which had taken place while of doing snything at all, it is the empire Mr. McPherson had beard through defendants'

was fully loaded and the allowance to the cap. Hedge & Co. The evidence taken by commission in Kobé newly-made graves-in a manner calculated to was tuen read. The commissioner was the convey so idea that a little "squeezing" on the

kins, a Dutch subject, who had been resident in Japan since 1859, and mostly a merchant on Club on Monday night, the 15th instant, was bis own occount, said be knew of no difference an appropriate sequel to the successful Race in the mode of dealing in rice and other pro- Meeting recorded in our last issue. Under the duce in Japan. It was not the custom to skilful direction of the Stewards, the large readmake advances to Japanese unless the goods mg room of the Club was completely framswere either on board ship on in godown, formed, and afforded ample space for the and then only on good security. He had numerous guests including a large proportion being made; he had heard of a few such marvel in the way of transformation; and the cases in Kobé, but only in a small proport profuse decorations and display of valuable tion of purchases. The witness, being asked in racing plate, tropbies of many a turi victory are only scanty means to compel their fulfilabout ten per cent. from strangers and smaller amounts from parsons with whom he was acquainted. He was not personally acquainted On Monday evening an entertainment was with the rice trade. A Japanese witness, emchased without advances being made.

> Meyer's evidence will be taken. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. Before Mr. Justice Snowden.

The Court adjourned shortly after four o'cloud

until ball-past ten on Thursday, when M

CLAIM FOR RENT. Monsen v. Bowler, \$12-This was-a dialm for one month's rent, plaintiff alleging that defendant had left her house, 21, Morgoo Junction, without giving notice. Defendant each he went into the house as a lodger at the rate of \$8 a The following report of the directors will be month, plaintiff retaining one room for her own presented at the ordinary meeting of there- use. In December she asked him when it would bolders, to be held at the company's hotel, at be convenient for him to leave, as the did not like bulf-past three o'clock p.m., on Friday, the having lodgers in the house. He told her be would only meant to stay a short time, as be In accordance with Section 53 of the Articles expected to leave the Colony. She said she of \$12; she had no doubt that as soon sa be left she would get another tenant, or she A further sum of \$2,000 has during the past | would go into it herself. He purposely called six months' been paid off, thus reducing the his boy up to bear what was said, the conver-Company's debt to \$66,000. Passing by PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT. the house a few days efter he left he naw a.

This account shows a credit balance of notice "To be let" on the door. Defendant's \$7,378.93, being an increase of \$537.29 on the boy gave corroborative evidence, and said he concession to the farmers. An Imperial profits of the same period of last year. The had given a message to plaint iff from defendant Directors, with your concurrence, propose to to the same effect. - Defendant said she had distribute of this amount emonget the Share never spoken to the boy; all the communicaholders a dividend of \$2.50 per share, thus ab- tions were made through defendant's wife. visited various parts of his dominions, and sorbing a sum of \$4,646, and to write the bas Defendant said his wife knew nothing about it. carefully observed the agricultural popula- lance \$2,733.89 off "Hotel and Furniture" ac- His Lordship gave a nonsuit, holding that there had been a walture of notice.

JUDGMENT.

DISPUTED IDENTITY. A. AMDRE, Chairman. \$96.43. Mr. Holings was for plaintiffs and Mr. Laumon for a panty.

Dennya for defendant. The claim was for the amount of an appoint for biles and bricks. The defendant plended that he was not the man to whom the goods were sumplied also that the men who was limble and paid the adcount -After hearing the evidence his Locathin gave ndement for plaintiffs with costs.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE 23rt January.

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION. Ching Acam, a coolie, was charged-by 524, with the unlawful possession of a pair of trowsers in Liscar Row. The prisoner could not give any antisfactory account of hav he came The Attorney-General continued his address by them, and he was fined in the anarof twenty

BEFORE THE HON. C. MAY.

STEALING SHOES. Chun Akit, a farmer, was charged by Foour with stealing from his stall a pair of shoes and The charge was proved and the prisoner sentenced to one mon he hard labour.

P.O. Joseph London summoned Chun T

arisen through plaintiffs' conduct. Defendants 1,357, for having his boat within the prohibited necessarily compel the Government to practice | gave no ratification, and did not acquiesce or | distance from shore after gun fire namely at The constable said he was on duty that night at Peddar's Wharf and the pullaway boats gave public works. The construction of roads Had they not agreed to the Walton being loaded him trouble, hovering about the what. Being with general cargo, probably she would not have | dark he could not see the numbers distinctly, but the defendant's bost same close to the whar and booked on and he saw his number distinctly The defendant said it was his turn to go to

and contented, and the land have rest from were entitled to recover from plaintiffs the loss moned Man Apo. proprietor of the Lin On further injurious agitation and destructive they had sustained by the mon-execution of cattle lan, Shek-tong-tsui, for permitting a orders advised as executed. In a letter of the diseased helfer unfit for claughter, to be driven such risings, and it is to be presumed that duraelves liable to a loss of \$8,500 for bargain The inspector said at 5.30 p.m. on the 19th money pold in December last, which we have instruct be saw the suimal at the slaughternot asked you to refund us, but of which of bouse. He examined it and found it was home to resume their agricultural pursuits. course we have up to the present time received suffering from precuomia, but it was no

> The case was remanded until the 29th instant: Inspector Onlay summoned the proprietor of the Hap Cheong cattle lan for a similar offence. CHARGE OF CUTTING DOWN TREES. Oheong A n, a farmer, was charged by P.O. 561 with outting-down large trees on the Stauley

The prisoner denied the charge, and the case. was remanded until the 25th instant.

FOOUROW.

A rather extensive fire took place in the

South-Western suburb on the night of the 11th

Fives Court was suddenly obstructed by two than a week. British vice-consul, Mr. Annesley. Mr. Wat- part of petty district officials is contemplated. The Ball given by the members of the Race

was, said be was in prison for breaking consular. Side by side with the Proclamation sment the seals .- Mr. Braess, a merchant, also gave ovi- | Yiiunan Untrage (noticed in our last issue) may dence to the effect that advances on purchases be seen an Edict by the Prefect and Magistrates of produce were not necessary. He had heard forbidding street gambling. Both decoments advances had been made, but was not aware they are we think equally valuable as deterrent inwere necessary or that there was any usage struments. To sin is pleasant, and the fulminato that effect. In making advances on pur- tions of mandarindom are not likely, in the chases, in the absence of any special agree. present state of affeirs, to greatly affect the ment, he would consider he did so on his public mind. It would not be so very difficult own account, not that of the principal. He to prevent the murder of British officials (by would think it very unwise to charter a ship the exercise of a more powerful argumenta than before having scoured the cargo, as the Japanese mere, paper "talkes talkes;") but the vice of frequently back out of their contracts, and there gambling is not to be suppressed by edicts in a country where there is no approach to what we ment. In cross-examination the witness said that foreigners term morality ! And it is only fair in dealings with Japanese be required bargain to add that in the distant West, where the voice of God, gambling in many forms is still rampant. A numerously attended Meeting of Members of the Foodhow Rifle Club was held at the Club-flouse on the 12th instant. Mr. Paterson occupied the chair. The principal question to decide was the choice of a weapon, and it was Government of Hongkong, should be adopted and courtesy extended to him throughout hi according to arrangement. Rice could be pur- for general use. Practice at the butts will, we foreign tour. In order to prevent ecoldents, it was decided attached to the Formosa Expedition of 1874 that Members of the Club should, for the present, during which period of service be held the rank practice at the range in squads-outh squad of Colonel in the Japanese army, has received being under the command of a committee-man. from the hands of Ugiu, Fuku Cho Kuwan, the It was further sursed upon, that the shangbai decoration of fourth class of the Order of Merit Rifle Club should be communicated with-in of this supere. In toknowledgment of his parti order to the obtaining of a basis on which to dipation in that event. Mr. Wasson will sail form a get of rules .- Foschow Herald.

yesterday which crested great entrement Whan the account-books were opened, they were found to be in the sume virgin state as when they first issued from the hands of the

Still, the place is rising. There is a rumour caries have found a philanthropic gentlemen to look after their interests here, and I hear of another professional member of the community who is about to open a cornehandler realablish. ment, presumably in order to relies some of the Korthern enflerers (for whom contributions are thankfully received). It is rumoused that the consist of a Jack who is going about bere and Hankow, but I am not prepared to offer an opinion on the subject.

The water was never so low as it is this year it is only seven feet deep at Hankow Island and there is no cold to speak of yet. - Shanghai Courser Correspondent

It is elated that the judgment in the Franconia case has already engaged the attention of the On the departure of Mr. S. E. Burrows from Line Sue Hing v. Line Kur, \$59.90 .- In this Governments The subject has been referred to reduce the land-tax to two and a half per the Colony, Mr. O. H. Burrows was elected to case judgment had been reserved. The claim the Lord Chancellor and the law officers of the the vacant seat. Mr. C. P. Chater has resigned was for stationery, &c., supplied to defendant. Crown for their consideration, and hall pro- valuable sid lent by Mr. Boosld Jaquemor to by the new tax. French hardware goods are trade to express publicly cent, on the value of the and. This measure his seat, and account between the parties bability there will be legislation on the question of the parties, bability there will be legislation on the question of the parties. will relieve the land of burdons amounting to Articles of Association, two of the directors, but only the amount claimed was in dispute, in the course costing costs on the directors, but only the amount of the course costs of the course costs of the directors. some sixteen millions of an, bull of this being Meases to H. Belilion and O. H. Burrows, defending alleging the woole account had been A miler wanted a little boy to go will also reach Belgian Peath students and to consider them the supvotire from the Board, but are shighle for respectable for res and said," Ony sther body wad gis me a sax- Knyon is H.B. Iw Hirobun, Sangl; and the country checks of this kind could have no red bave also been thinking of sending a magnific pence. The old man rejoluted, with a miserty Vice-President, or Fukn Cho Kowan, H. B. tarding effect at all but the reverse. We shall dent sword to the Turks, but as there is some LEE HIM AND ANOTHER V. LUM PAY chuckle," Man, I could get a letter the gang the Ogin, Gi Knear of the Court for our productions doubt about the steer to omit itgentlemen finally decide upon the bestowst of where these other countries are shut out. . Vienna Correspondent of New York Herald.

loth January,

30th December.

your to make the best use they can of European delirium tremens. his name of "Defensor patris" may not be law and regulations be not a farce and the forgotten. But his intentions of selecting no. maintenance of a lazaretts a waste of money thing but the newest and the very best from The patient, who was in the first instance atforeign countries, lead him often too far, and tended by Dr. Bentley on behalf of the P. & O. on frequent occasions money and energy have Company, was handed over to the care of the been wasted on useless projects....

It is now said, that Li is buying fifty so called empty bouse in Passir Pasjang Road. neither very new nor very practical. Sold to In addition to losing the best's crew and having enamored that she had at one time some thoughts the Government of Egypt in 1872, they were to use its fittings for firewood, the thirden. of cutting off all discussion with her so-called tried by a commission at Newport, U.S., the gineer, while loosening a bolt which had fas- friends and sending her Grand Vizier to Livareport of which commission said, whilst acknow-tened some planking, was precipitated into the dia in order to make the best terms she could ledging the ingenuity of the inventor, that they hold, and broke both arms just above the wrist. found the torpedies only in a elight degree and is now in the hospital. - Singapore Times. efficient, and that they were too complicated for for actual warfare. The famous inventor of the monitor. Erickson, also kave bis opinion

is they remained above the water and could tre therefore very costly.

udge for himself whather an invention is good | and or not; he is mistaken. Formerly only the destruction by fire on the evening of the 15th. Khedive was known as a man who plunged intodebt through seeking innovations without proper understanding; but now Li, following in and Oriental Steam Navigation Company was may eventually be. But the Slave and the court his steps, spends his not too abundant half held on the 5th ultime. Mr. de Salis, who do not support Russia, for the asme reason. millions for useless purposes, whilst higher presided, stated that the company's fleet had The court hopes by keeping friendly with and more important tasks are yet before him. - been considerably increased and its machinery Russia to increase the number and extent of Shanghar Courier Correspondent.

s week or ten days past. It was so mild that Increase in the carrying stade following that have dreams about the great Slavic empire of the nver had opened again, and was quite free event, which was a memorable one to the com- the future, of which they, too, might be enabled H.M.S. Hornet will, we understand, leave from ice. It continued so until the night of pany, When the Suez Canal was opened in to form a part, As to Mr. Satow's evidence on the same point, he Hornet's term of service at this port has been of some clouds. On Sunday, the Slat, the wind gate horse power of 18,294, and an aggregate cannot allow an increase of the Slavonic element. couldnot teatifyes to Japanese law and be was not unusually short duration, but during her brief changed to the east, and in the night to the N. tonnage of 84 059 tons. Their fleet now consisted in the Austrian empire, however much this stay on the station her commander and officers | E. In the afternoon a fine dry snow began to of forty-eight steamships seventeen subsidiary might please the ambition of the house of Hapsfall, none of which melted, the ground was so vessels, with an aggregate horse-power of burg. If ever there was a nation divided against We notice that Mesers. Hedge & Co. have dry and cold; it continued falling till far into 21,856, and an aggregate tonnage of 124,664 itself, and consequently rendered almost incorperial Japanese Post office, and that they will There being a bigb wind most of the night and had involved an outlay of £2,500,000, of which on the Danube. And besides being divided in

commission of one case in which a principal was make up a mail bug by each Shanghai Steamer, all day yesterday, it has drifted badly—in some the board had only called upon the proprietors itself, Austria is compelled, before taking any charged with the amount of bargain money for Japan America, and Europo. Registration places to the depth of four feet. The mercury for £200,000, the produce of two calls on the decisive steps, to consider what Prince Bispaid and he disputed it and never paid it. With of China letters can be effected only at Shangbai. stood at nine degrees yesterday in the middle of new shares. The company's ships had during march thinks of the matter. To go in for Russia. more extensive, and in ways intended to bene- regard to the Walton, there was no evidence and Postago stomps may be obtained from the empire; great deal of suffering to the poor people, espe- over 15,000 passengers; who had been conveyed to go against Russia would be equally dontain was excessive. He submitted defendants It is to be regretted that the Road Committee dially the refugees, who have no other protection to their respective destinations enfely, without gerous both from the Bismerckian and Slavofollowing this beginning. Unfortunately were not liable for any of the losses in re- should meet with such persistent opposition than temple courts and mat huts. But if the loss of life, without accidents worth naming, nien points of view. Hitherto, Austria's policy It is published in two forms—Complete at there does not appear to be much ground gard to this vessel; but if the jury thought they from a section of the native population. Great snow has fallen as extensively as appearances and without any maritime catastrophe. The has never been well defined; and it is very likely were they ought to have a diduction to the improvements have, no doubt, been effected of indicated, it means thousands of dollars to the report was adopted, and a dividend of 2 per cent, that it will not be in the future, though she will extent of the difference between the amount she late, and the roads are particularly sell kept; agricultural interests of this province alone. for the helf-year was declared. bas no objection to adopt Western im- carried and that which the jury thought she but the numerous graves are an insuperable There has not been such a fall of snow since provements when they are likely to forward ought to have carried, and to the extent of what difficulty in the way of further extension. About the winter of 1867, when commencing on the the jury considered would be a fair allowance three weeks ago, the lower road leading to the 24th December, it lay on the ground for more

We are glad to learn that H.E. the Vicerov ing this beginning. N. C. Daily News,

nagasaki The Cosmopolitan Press bas heard rumours that grant letters of asturalization to Foreigners seeking the rights and privileges of their indigenous subjects, with very little persussion. Alexander Smith, sailmaker of the British ship Blar of China, was drowned on the 8th netant. His body was found floating in the nerhour the same day. Mr. Marous Flowers. H.B.M.'s Consul, held an inquest over the remains, and a verdict of "accidental death" was returned. The funeral took place in Naga- kindred hodies throughout Europe, in order to saki Cemetery, and a stone in memory of the deliberate upon the most efficient means for deceased is being erected by the captain and lescuring to the Jews in the disturbed Turkish officers of the ship.

The report that H.E. Mr. Youda, Minister Japan to the United States, is about to return to this country, is without foundation. He has no intention of leaving his post for the present. General Saigo's return from America, where he held the position of Japanese Commissioner to the Centerial Exposition, has been made the occasion of a series of social festivities in which his friends have competed to testify their gratiunanimously agreed that the breest-loading | figation at his reappearance among them. He carbines, kindly supplied by the Colonial apeals with earnout feeling of the hospitality are informed, commence almost immediately. Mr. J. R. Wasson, one of the American officer.

this month for America, to assume a position Pately fitted up for the approaching voyage of We had a meeting of the Municipal Council o not a language, it is said, of any efficacions measures to preclude the intro-3,000 yen. A cabin has been built upon the deck. duction of clauses adverse to Jewish rights into thirty by lifteen feet in dimensions, and far-

rished with the most luxurious style upholstery. The quarters intended for His Majesty's suite are desgrated with proportionate elegance. An escort of three ships of war, under Admiral Ito, will accompany the Imperial transport

Mr. J. R. Jaquemot has, we believe, determined against French and, perhaps, Austrian appar, feel inclined; but the central government de-upon settling in some part of America, whither, but whether it affects many or few its want of clines, and quite correctly, too, from its point accompanied by his two sons, he will go shortly, wisdom is obvious. It is placing a fresh tax on of view, to allow the Magyar youth to dicists in the departure of Mr. J. H. Jaquemot, those advantage in creating healthy industries at be. Interesting it may be to know, too, that amateur theatrical representations in the Galety lesses the foreign trade of the E pire with "got their backs up" at the Peeth address Thestre of Yokobama will greatly miss the those countries whose experts will be curtailed. They want to know if it is true that the Pesth most of their success to his art. Who shall it seems they enjoy on exportation, and it is students consider it their duty to despise the

decorations of the Order of Merit of Meiji, acting upon the auggestions of the Gijo Kuwan. Since Friday the 12th instant the weather has | who examine into the eligibility of candidates; been truly wintry. Up to that time the ice and virtually determine the nomineer and the the increase of population, states that at the which one saw occasionally was no thicker than special grades to be conferred. The Gijo Kn. | end of 1871 Europe contained 808,811,304 in his an ordinary pane of glass, and it always disap- wan were originally four in number H. H. peared before noon. Last Friday it actually Samesima Naonotta, of the Foreign Office; the six Great Powers. The exact figures are as snowed: an inch of snow fell, and some of h yet General Torio, of the War Department; Mr. follows:-remains unmelted. In places where the water Hijikata of the Sei In, and Admiral Akamstan in the causis was stagnant, ice was formed on of the Navy. More recently the number was The Russian Empire Friday, and each day since then it has increased increased by the addition of three Imperial The German Empire in thekness and now it is in some places strong princes. Arisigaws, Higashi Fusimi, and Austro-Hangarisa Empire. 86,155,370 ... 14.6 per cent enough to bear a man's weight. But where the Fasimi. The Chief Searcharies, for Higho all, so that thus at the frost has not interfered | the Dai Jo Kuwan) and Kitagawa. There are with transportation. Shanghai Courier Corre- lalgo several subordinate officers attached to the Bureau.—Tokio Times.

Li Hang chang might well be compared, in | Ou the trip of the Carisbrooks from Pening to more than one way, to the Khedive of Egypt, Singapore this week, a passenger (European) Both are earnestly concerned about the wel- | name unknown; jumped overboard on the night fare of their respective countries, both endea. of the 9th inst. when under the influence of inventions and manufactures, both often fail Lucre was a case of small-pox on board the from lack of understanding, and both spend | Rashgar, the homeward bound P. & O. boat from enormous sums, too often without much profit Hongkong. We heard nothing of the vessel to their country. The bobby of the Khedive is being placed in quarantine but inconvenient as cotton mills; Li Hang-chang's aim is the im- such a step might have been, no consideration rated have, as mentioned above, nearly fireproviment of the defensive hower of China, but that of duty should prevail with the Harnot improbably for the principal reason, that bour and Health Authoritie, if the quarantine

Principal Medical Officer, and is now in an fish torpedoes, invented by the American Lay. We understand nothing has yet been heard. These torpedoes are propelled by electricity and of the missing boat and crew of the Eastern can be steered from the shore. Of course Li is Isles, which, consisting of the chief officer and of opinion that they represent according to the law men, were sent to Reding to procure fuel assurance of the saller, the most modern and The steamer on ber passage from Bangkok to best of their kind, and not even the tremendons Singapore riu short of coals, and these men price (Tle. 10,000 per piece half a million of were despatched to procure wood, but never taels) makes bim shrink from proving that returned, and after waiting many bours the of the Eastern question as Austria, or Austro-China does not yield to other nations in her war ressel proceeded as well as she could without material being of the most modern description, them, tearing up planking bo,, for fuel and at herto been made quite easy for her by Russia Unfortunately, however, there is strong reason last reaching here considerably after date. The she had to accept the inevitable in the shape of to believe that these torpedoes of Mr. Lay are Eastern Lales was very unfortunate last trip. the Czar's dictum, of which she became so

THE BONIN ISLANDS. The Mainichi Shimbun publishes the following likely to produce rebellion, has called forth a vest on the Bonin Islands, which it has received from amount of political animosity within the bounds a person-recently returned thonor: The objet of the empire that is usually allowed to slumber. therefore easily be made to exploded prematurely of the islanders is represented to be a man of The parties in the Austrian empire, as they have by shots; that the explosion was too near to about 50 years of age and very rick. It is said declared themselves in the Eastern question, the water surface, and that hardly any damage that there are only two Japanese women on the are, largely taken, three in number. could be done with them to an ironolad. Be- islands, though there are a number of Malay | There are, first, the court party and the sides, these torpedoes perish after explosion and women. The complexion of the latter is as black German aristocracy; second, the Magyare, as mokuranii (a fruit of a glossy black colour.) represented by Count Andressy; thirdly, the Inventions, therefore, that were rejected by Their hair bangs in a dishevelled mass, and they Slava of all grades, whether Czechs, Oroatisne, the American and European Goveraments, as cover their heads with a yellow cutton cloth, Poles, Slovake, or whatever names they have. too costly and appracticable. Li allows himself while they clothe themselves with deer-skins. Strange to say, the Slave and the Germans are to be persuaded to buy, by people, it seems, In fact their appearance is such that a person just now agreed in their hostility to Turkey; who have some influence over him through old with a weak stomach does not care to have a the Hungarians have been very demonstrative connections, and who play a somewhat prominent | second interview with them. The islanders have | in their barred of Russia, and the court party, part in some of the questions of to-day. Per- one good custom, and that is that, when a vessel while anxious to please all the nationalities haps be thinks that by such like purchases he is seen near the islands, they light fires so as to jot the empire, and with perhaps comforting acquires the reputation of a man who is able to let the mariners know the whereabouts of the memories of agreements made at the blessed

THE P. AND O. COMPANY. improved since the opening of the Suez Canal, her Slavic provinces. The Slave, on the other because many of the ships which the company hand, are auxious to see their Slavio brethren We have been having deligitful weather for then possessed had become unequal to the great of Servia and Bosnia made independent; they

COLOUR BLINDNESS IN SAILORS. and Favre ("Du Daltonisme dans sea Rapports | rate a more definite policy, except in so far that assinstructed Mr. Betts, of the torpedo school, avec la Navigation", of 2408 collisions, at sea, he will be simply the expression of the imperial to erect a short line of telegraph next spring, from 1859 to 1866, 539 may be imputed to a viewe and acts. connecting his vamen and the argenal, which is prong interpretation of colour-signals at night, situated several miles E. of the foreign Settle- | from the colour-blindness of the captain or dynasty and the life of the empire in case of ment. This is snother step in the right direction. officer in observe. Among the ship wrecks so sotual support of Russia has been indicated very We trust that progress in other directions, and caused are specially mentioned those of the recently and very clearly in the events that have more extensive, and in ways intended to benefit Japhet, the Vesta, and the English steamer been reported from Pesth. As a rule, I think the people directly, may not be long. In follow. Maloma. Of 502 tailors examined by M. Feris, student demonstrations are very foolish affairs. and green, the colours chiefly employed for Austriau, or Hungariau, are a set of boistorous, signals. Stokers and engineers are among those beer-drinking fellows, who have vanity enough the Japanese Government would be willing to who suffer most from coour-conducted than the statesmen, and that their demonstra-

> JEWISH CONFERENCE ON THE EASTERN QUESTION.

cepted the invitation of the Angle-Jewish Association to convene a conference of delegates from provinces the rights that may be given to the Uhriatian population. The conference was to be held at Paris on the 11th December. Senator Oremieux, the President of the Alliance, it is understood, will preside. The rough draft of programme of the business to be transacted by the proposed conference has, says the Jewish Chronicle, been drawn up by the Executive lommittee of the Anglo Jewish Association states that it shall be the object of the conference to secure for the Jews in the provinces affected by the disturbances in Turkey the same full enjoyment of civil, political, and religious rights as is claimed for the other non-Mussulman subjects of the Ports and to embody the expression of those claims in a joint memorial, bearing the argustures of the Iswish bodies represented at the conference according to certain rules to be defined at one the preliminary meetings. It should be enderstood that not only Servin, but Roumania should be included in the deliberations. Sesing hat the Roumanian constitution has gradually taken such a form as to exclude Jews from the enjoyment of civil and political rights without naming the Jews in these clauses in which Jewish The steamship Takno Kwan has been elabo. rights are annulled or ignored, it will become necessary for the conference to deliberate upon

On this atbject The Times says: - In the new willing to bring great sacrifices in aid of a noble Bill laid before the Federal Council of the lides. The new proprietor of the Japan Weekly Mail German Empire by Princis, for establishing . The address concludes with a demand that is Mr. Goo. Onlien Pearson than whom no differential oustoms duties on foreign imports, committees shall visit the bute of the poor the gentleman is held in higher esteem by the power is taken. Heuter's tolegram says, to raise palace of the rich and obtain subscriptions; foreign community of Tokio and Yokohama, the rate of duty upon articles which enjoy export that the villages, hamlets, pusztas of Magyarand who will be welcomed an the new position premiums in other countries. This is carrying land shall each give its quote; balls, concerts, which he meaumes with unanimous cordiality but the policy which has been so steadily pressed and lotteries shall be made subservient to the and the hearties good wishes. If his prise by the British augar trade upon this conhitry in same great end of affording aid to the Turkish pharmaceutical agent and the comobandler period the students are popularity he will have little cause to repent an to be raised to the level of the bounty where it reckoning without their host. In Klausenburg, undertaking which many men might deem is lower, or clapped on to the amount of it when where a similar campaign has been sturted, the hazardous in this place and at the present time. the goods are at present admitted free. It is police have stepped in and put a veto on the One of the foreign residents of longest stand. not likely that this provision will affect many matter. Doubtless, the Hungarians have a right ing in Japan is about to leave the gountry, articles; indeed, it is evidently directed chiefly to give their money for the Turks, if so they

Apart from the loss the community will anatain the people of Germany with no compensating what the policy of the Austrian compre shall who have made a practice of attending the home, and in its direct effects must tend to the students of the Moscow university have

POPULATIONS OF EUROPEAN The Homomiste Français, in an article upon bitants, of whom nearly five nixths belonged to

This classification would of course be very different if the possessions of the various European States out of Europe were taken into account In that case, the British Empire would come first with 236 000,000 inhabitants, followed, by the Russian Empire with 86,000,000, by Prance with 41,800,000, and by the Ottoman Empire with 41,700,000: Germany would still preserve her prependerance over Austro-Hungary; but Holland, with a total of 28,000,000, would take precedence of Italy and Spain would be close upon the latter. The six Great Powers enumedence, and their populations may be divided into three groups of almost equal extent, viz : the United Kingdom, France, and Italy, 88 per cent.; Germany and Anetria, 37 per cent.; and Russia, 31 per cent. Next after the six Great Powers comes Spain with a population of 16,900,000; the Ottoman Empire, 8,500,000; Norway, 5,954,807; and Belgium, 5,113,680; while the three smallest States, were the Prinipality of Liechtenstein (8 320), the Republic of San Marino (7,500), and the Principality of Monaco (5.700).

A DISTRACTED EMPIRE No state in Europe, not even excepting Turkey, has so difficult a part to play in the solution with her hereditary foe. But Austria has not been as yet compelled to accept the inevitable; onsequently her component parts are at loggerheads, and the Eastern question, though not

alliance of the three Kaisers, is very adxious to support Russie, and thus, instead of allowing the Czar to get all the plunder, to be permitted The annual general meeting of the Peningular to come in for a share of whatever spoils there

watel-becopportunity to reap as much benefit as possible at the least-cost to herself. Should Andrassy rosign, which is certain in case the Russian party gets the upper band, his succes-According to the investigations of Dra. Feris wor, Baron Hoffman, will not be able to inaugu-But the danger that would threaten the

47 or 94 per cent, were colour-blind. Of this and great importance should not be attached to number, 24 could not distinguish between red them. European students, whether German, who suffer most from colour-blindness. At to believe that they understand politics better out of 55 whom he examined in the works at tions will influence or intimidate a government. Formerly this was the case, but now European governments are strong enough to tell the students to keep to their studies and let politics alono. The fact is that European students are simply overgrown school boye, and have no The Universal Israelities Alliance has acmore right to "demonstrate" thun a body of shoomakers apprentices or a parcel of washerwomen. So when a few hundred Pesth students go in procession, as they did last week, to the rave of a celebrated Turkish saint, named Gool Baba who is buried in a grave not far from Ifen-Pesth, and there make speeches, "in Hurparlan, German, French, and English," as weare nformed this event in itself has not political mportance, though it may prove the old adage eversed. "As the tree is inclined the twin is bent." That is to say, this worship of a Turkish saint by the Magyar Christian youth is, as Bismarck once remarked, the feam on the crest of waves that growl and boil beneath. The students of the Posth university have,

besides making the pilgrimage to the Turk a paint, now issued an address to the Hungarian routh and formed a committee for the recentionof subscriptions in behalf of the wounded Turks. The address goes on to say how two nations are lighting on the Balkan; the one, people to whom Hungary offered an asylum when exiled and parsecuted, has repaid friendship "with murder:" be other, whom on account of misunderstandng, the Hungarians fought for a century, now recognized in the Magyars a nation of brothers, and received thom as friends at a time when hey were persecuted and deserted by Europe. This sentence is a plear thrust at Austria. who salled in Russia to her assistance to quell the Magyar reballion. The address then pleads for pecuniary subscriptions for the Turkish wounded, saying, truly enough, that not a single civilized nution in Europe has thus far directed its the constitution to be (ramed for the provinces The banuer," says the address, "which the Hungarian youth have raised cannot fall, and we will prove to our Turkieh brethren that the OUSTOMS DUTIES IN GERMANY. Magyar, even in this ere of money making is

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Don't tell me of the "Awkward Squad." The loafers who get kept in " qual," Or tired men had beneath the sod; In graves where they get house-room cheaper! Dear mel I've hardly time to think;-With business first, and then the Rink, And a fellow must countines eat and drink .-

"Ain I my brother's keeper?" Don't tell me of the murky air That chokes the Jungs and breeds despair. Where none are young, and few are fair, And men drink deep, but women deeper! Don't tell me of the morel obliquity, In those low dens of vulgar iniquity ! My views may claim a Scriptural intiquity,-"Am I my brother's keeper?"

What come and help, you say ! Oh no! Some man of coarier grain many go, Twould break me down to see such woe. Have you no shepherd for your theep, Sir? An honest missionary, sny,-A Biblewoman. By the way, I'm rather out of each to-day Or I would give a trille. Pray Look in again! I'll lielp to pay To keep my brother's keeper.

-Sysciator.

pain of coming to a decision. Now, this is cent tooth food. sought-to be destroyed.

THE TRUE MAN. He is above a mean thing. He cannot stoop to mean fraud. He invades no secrets in the keeping of another. He betrays no secrets confided to his own keeping. He never struts in borrowed plumage. He never takes selfish advantage of our mistakes. He uses no ignoble weapons in controversy. Ho inuendoes. He is not one thing to a man's face, and another behind his back. If by accident be comes in possession of his neigh bour's counsely, he passes upon them an get of instant oblivion. He bears a souled package without tampering with the wax. Papers not meant for his eye, whether they flutter at his window or lie open before him in unguarded exposure, are sacred to him. He encreaches no privacy of others, however the sentry sleeps. Bolts and bars, locks and keys, hedges and pickets, bondsand securities. notices to trespassers, are none of them for him. He may betrusted himself out of sight -near the thinnest partition-anywhere. He buys no office, he sells none, he intrigues for none. He would rather fail of his rights than win them through dishonour. He will eat honest bread. Re insults no man. He tramples on no sensitive feelings. If he have rebuke for another, he is straight-forward. open, manly. In short, whatever he judges honourable, he practices toward every man-

experience of picnics in the language given to impart greater grace and strength. Freebel, articles and keep alive a trade so vast as below. She is right: "If to broil, and to the child philosopher, teaches mothers to sing various. bake, and to butter; to bottle, to slice, and to little songs, made up of jugling rhymes, as But with matchless commercial facilities pack; to get off before you are ready, and they exercise their little ores, adapting the and large undeveloped resources, Turke before you are ready come back; if taking a words to the motions gone through, working has been, till this day, so woefully misgo seat on a pie dish, and losing your meat in first a finger, then the hand, then the whole verned; her resources, instead of being dove the grass, and having bugs drop in your pude arm, gently but firmly, not keeping the attentioned, have been so remoraclessly drained ding, and snails take a bath in your glass; it tion fixed on one point, however, until there her rulers, instead of living and governing toads holding hop on your sandwich, and is any visible fatigue. Very soon the little for the people, have so uniformly grown fa beetles inspecting your bread, when brambles rogues learn to know and will stick up a foot on their hard-earned gains; the cost and exand thorns catch your feet, and worms pelt or attarm at the right notes like trained penses of imperial palaces, harems, iron down on your head; if scattering in every musicians, as they really are in a small way, clads, etc., have been so enormous, ever direction to seek for foliage and cover, and Then give them plenty of sleep, sunshine and while the people in some of the finest and find you have been outstripped by some fresh air, be always bright and cheerful with not. distant provinces have been actuall Sarah Jane and her lover; if, in gathering up them, atudy each one as you would the most dying of starvation; that in place of all the fragments of such an Arcadian feast, abstruce scientific problem, and you will find assuming the commercial position which you can't tell whether 'twas most like enter | them not only the proverbial "well-springs rightly belongs to her, Constantinople i tainment for man or for beast; if that kind of pleasure," but the most interesting and as regards her Moslem population, lik of thing is enjoyment, in longer or shorter charming editions of nature's works. ... Rome in the later years of the decaying em measure, and you're simple enough to believe so, why then help yourself to the pleasurs; MOSCOW AND ITS GORGEOUS PA- conspicuous effeminacy and luxury on the but for me (1 speak from experience, the LACE-THE KREMEIN. one hand, and misery, degradation, and des hold me excused."

A TOOTHPICK SPECULATION. bled a jungle.

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and anuscles. Years to supersede nature's diet by the use of three of the French entering and leaving deluge of "baby foods" in the market, each Smolens I must refer you to "Murray. intended as a solemn rebuke to and warning All and a great deal more than I could say against the evident intention of creation. will be found in his trustworthy pages. M making qualities, is especially adapted for supernatural vastness of the great rooms of weaknesses of the bones, and other scroin- nificent saloon all white stucco and gold Thoroughly boiled and brought to the right speen-by the equally gorgeous Halls consistency to be taken through a bottle, St. Alexander Nevsky, St. Andrew, an sweetened and warmed, it is a delicious and St. Catherine. But do you know why reliable substitute for the untural diet, or was amored, and why I was filled wit even as an alternata with it. Or. Edward admiration? It was because, gliding over Smith in his book on "Food," opposes the the slippery marqueterie flooring of thes use of condensed milk, on the ground that superb chambers, gazing at the givent it produces an undue proportion of fut and columns of precious marbles, at the acres

tageous for the world, but, like most other one of the most prolific sources of fretfulness what these good mythical folk, St. George idencies of the human mind, it is a very in them is, particularly when very young, an St. Andrew, and St. Catherine could have beneficent arrangement. There would be no unsatisfied craving for food. It is all very do with all these pomps and vanities. Amon stability in the world if the making of decisions well to argue that because grown people re- all the wonders in this marvellors Kremlin were not a very difficult thing. What was quire food only once in so often baby must the greatest will always be, to me, the decided yesterday would be upset to-day; and be subjected to the same regimen; but the splendid, tasteless, and useless place. there would be no long and fair experience of cases are not parallel; a baby is essentially a anything. Whereas, in the present state of consuming force. Its stomach, if in a healthy FUTURE GREATNESS OF CONSTAN human affaire, even if a great evil exists, and condition, is the medium of constant commany people have recognized the evil, it munication with the growing brain, bones Viewed commercially, the site of Constant requires an immense amount of decision and and muscles, and its food being in liquid tinople is scarcely less than perfect. Eve decisiveness before the evil can be uprooted. form, necessarily digests more rapidly than before the Christian era her commerce was This brings into play many high qualities of in the maturer organ. Every mother has very considerable. During the days of the human nature, such as long suffering patience realized the truth of the saying that "a boy great Roman comperors her commercial prowith opponents, and the exhaustion of rea- is bottow clear down to his boots," and if a perity was unrivated. Under the sultant soning powers brought upon the with is looy, why not a little one, who grows, both all Asia Minor, Syria, Arabia, and eve mentally and physically, twice as fast as his India, as woll as southern Europe, hav birger brother? Children are truly said to fed her commerce. And to-day, while learn more of philosophy during the first two her waters are always white with sail and he years of life than any succeeding, and the harbour lined on every side with the small quickest brains must, of accessity, consume | vessels of commerce, the capacious harbou the most strongthening material. Nature is itself is filled with steamers bearing ever more uncring then our experience. Very European flag, which come and go almost often nervousness in infants can be stopped every hour of every day, bringing the proint in a few minutes by a few mouthfuls of food, ducts of European industry, and carrying often by a drink of cold water, which, by the grain, wool, mohair, fruits, and various pro never stabs in the dark. He is ashamed of way, they should invertably have at least ducts of Turkish manufacture to European once a day, particularly when other food ports. than the mothers milk is used.

course of baby-gymnastics that will be wel-tially developed to commerce. Give her A miss of seventeen summers summer up her accestry, but are each a separate motor power where commerce would embrace so man

subject I have closely pursued) the reply will The Special Correspondent of the Daily pair on the other. The heart beats fits be found in the Scriptures, "I pray you to Telegraph writes from Russia :- I see the with a fevered beat, the extremities are col Kremlin-behind but for a brief span-nover or paralyzed, and the government itself seem to be viewed again, I fear, by these waving on the very eve of bankruptcy. Of Constan leyes. Our sledge enters the wondrous wall tinople as a commercial contro-que sadi I went down to Smyrna last week to look of circumvallation, more than 7,600 feet in thinks of what might have been." at a horse. As I was riding along the road circumference. I had inneied that the But her commercial possibilities still re with Major Barry, we passed a couple of Kremlin, full as it is of stately palaces and main, and she may have a future as bri fields that were filled with such a wild, treasuries, of antique cathedrals and holy liant in the twentieth century as her match tangled confusion of bushes that they resem- shrines, would be a solemn and a noiseless less situation and natural fitness deserve place. It is assuredly venerable, but its out- Should God's Providence grant to Tunkey "That," said the major, " is Merribew's ward aspect struck me as being the very op- worthy government, the commercial pros posite of solemn; and it was decidedly very perity of Constantinople will develop a noisy, partaking as it did of those charac- naturally as her goldern waters flow on the "You see, Merrihew owned that farm, and teristics of Moscow in a hurry. Only ima- sea .- The Galaxy for December. he got along well enough until one day an gine the effect of an indefinite number of idea struck him. He came to me and he cabe, carts, waggons, and drays in the quad- THIS PROSE IN RHYME WILL DO. said : Barry, I've got the biggest idea you rangle of Windsor Castle! What would the Marshal spare that dog; touch not a single ever heard of. Barry, said he, there are Lerd Chamberlain-what would the Dean hair? he worries many a hog, from out his about 8,000,000 men in this country, ain't and Canous of St. George's what would the muddy lair. O when he was a pup, so frisk there? Well, how many toothpicks does each Military Knights say? Yet the back and the aud so plump, he lapped his milk from out man use in a year? Say four a month on an I mercantile traffic through the Kremlin seems a cup, when hungry—at a jump. And then average. That's about fifty a year apiece, or to be affably winked at in this country of his funny tricks, so funny in their place, so 400,000,000 a year for the whole nation paternal depotism, and we drove very com- full of canine licks, upon your hands and face Now, what is the best toothpick in the world? fortably up to the front door of the amezing You will surely let him live! Oh! do not It s thern say two inches long, hard, smooth, palace built by the Emperor Nicholas. The kill him dead; he wags his narrative, and with a sharp point, and not likely to break, only obligation imposed on all and sundry prays for life not lead. Go get the muzzl I've got a bush full of them on my place, and to whom pedestrian and vehicular right of now, and put upon his mouth, and stay that I'm going to grow, fill the whole farm with way through this region of palaces and muc- bow, bow and tendency to drought 'em, introduce 'em to the trade, and make my tuaries is concelled is that they should un. He is our children's pet, companion of their cover when they pass through the Apash, or joy: you will not kill him yet, and thus their "So, sure enough, Merribew went to work Redeemer's Gate, nearest the extraordinarily hopes destroy. No, marshal, spare that pup and sowed about 175 scres to those thorn- quaint and Chinese-looking Church of St. touch not a single hair OI put your pisto bushes, and the next summer he had the Basil. The Spain was built about four hun- up and go away from there. awfulest crop of om you ever saw. Filled dred years since by a Milanese architect, and b the whole place. When the thorns were in our Charles I. a time a clock was grown, Merribew emplowed twenty men to placed in the tower by one Christopher The nineteenth century will be decided! pick em. It took cm about a month at \$2 Galloway, an English, or, more probably, a the age of blondes, as the sixteenth centur a day for each man. That was \$1,000. Then Scottish horologer. Over the gateway is a was—as the seventeenth century was the age he got the toothpicks tied up in bundles, and picture of the Redeemer of Smolensk, hence of periwigs and as the eighteenth century he sent them up to the city. After shiuning the veneration paid to the Porta Sacra, on was the age of powder. It is settled; al around for five or six weeks trying in vain to approaching which all, from the Czar to the women are blondes, those of the south sell em, a man offered him \$40 for the lot, lowest moujik, bare their heads. The Palace equally with those of the north. Nestor and he accepted the bid." God gave blonde hair "The \$40 just paid his board bill and car. drous collection of works of art in pictures, to the northern women to console the men ried bim home. Iwo days a terwards the statuary, and virtu as you meet with in the for the absence of the sun." At present, the man had him arrested for traud, because the Hermitage and the Winter Palace at St. southern women blonds themselves by virtue toothpicks poisoned the mouths of his cus- Petersburg, but it may be said without stag- of the "onu des fees," or by simply washing tomers, and the court made him refund the geration, to fairly take your breath away at | their hair with ammonia. It is the miracle money and pay the costs. By the time the the first view from the vastness of the apart- of chemistry. When she was twenty-five case was settled the thorn bushes had grown mentsmed the woulth of gold and chromatic years old, that foolish young creature whom no fast that an elephant clad in sheet iron decoration avished upon them. The original we have named "Ophelia" on the French couldn't have made his way through one of Bolschoi Dvoretz, or Great Palace, was stage first took the fancy to make herse his fields; and when Merribew got some of burned by the French after its occupation blonds-for a change. As she said, she had his triends to come out and advise him what by Napoleon, and the existing edfice no doubt of being able to initiate the freshion to do, they decided that it would cost more must consequently be looked upon almost Now, the world and the old are crazy over it to clear the land than the property was exclusively as a monument of the reign of the all women are eager to be blondes, especially worth, and they counseled him tolot it alone. Car Nicholas. The building, not only as those who have become pallid. But wh So he did , and now he is driving a mule team regards the State apartments but the private violate nature? Is white hair not a sacred for a man in Smyrna at 31.50 a day, and the rooms occupied by the Emperor and his crown to the head. Hasnot brunette beauty tooth pick plantation is going to seed. The family, are shown by servants clad in the distinctive charm and character no less

THE DAT with any wish to stremate the venality Those delicate bits of human machinery subordinate employee in the land of the Ozar need the most careful handling. Who that but with the intent of telling future visitor has dressed a new-florn infant has not expect to the Place of the Kremlin what they hav rienced a feeling of absolute terror and it to do in order to use the sights which was made of spun-glass or some equally are visible with promptitude and comfort fragile material? But, in reality, the little If you want to know all about the Em limbs are the prest elastic and atrong of the press's drawing-room, hung with white sil whole mechanism, and there is a great deal and decorated with gold mouldings, or th more danger of injuring the internal machi- "lift" by which his Imperial Majesty is horstoc nery by the injudicious treatment common to his upper dwelling-places; if you are among young mothers than by the strong, anxious about the lodgings of the chamber firm handling that takes the place of volun- leins, the equerrise, and the maide of honour tary exercise necessary for the growing cones it you desire a detailed description of the Ozar's private cabinet, with its bronze eques It has become quite the fashion of late trian statuette of Napoleon L, and its pic various preparations. In fact, there is a Moscow, and of the battles of Borodino and Some substitutes, however, are admissible chief admiration and my most profound Oatmeal, because of its warming and bone- amazoment were excited by the well-nigh children with a tendency to lung weaknesses, audience-by the Hall of St. George, a mag lous indications, and is one of the best, almost blinding in its snowy and auriforou THE PAIN OF DECIDING. renders children less able to resist disease by gold mouldings and seroll work, at the door The great labour of life, that which tends decreasing the vitality or the system. Corn. of gold, malachite, porphyry, buhl, and Flo more to exhaust men than anything else, is starch and arrow-root are open to objection, rentine mosaic; and considering that in on deciding. There are people who will suffer particularly at an age wien the digestive Itali a regiment of Cuirossiers and in another any other pain roadily, but shrink from the junctions are not sufficiently matured to ac. a regiment of Grenadiers might mandeuved there came over my imperiectly-instructe supposed to be wholly an evil and disadvan- No two babies are alike in their needs, and mind just the oddest kind of perplexity as

It may be said that the commerce of sever Dosing for the most trifling nilments is European cities and of more than on unother serious evil the poor little newcomer | American city is greater than that of Con has to encounter. A sale rule is not to in- stantinople. But is must be rememberedtroduce into the stomach remedies when and here is a long list of counts most in outside applications will answer the purpose. portant of all to come into our reckoning-Camomile tea, or the more convenient that Turkey is without roads; that the nomecrathic form known sa "camomilla" is Turks themselves have not the least con almost a specific in all-baby complaints.—For mercial enterprise; that the commerce an colic and constitution, the two foes of infancy, trade of Turkey are nearly all in the hand magnetic rubbing by the mother's hand is of foreigners and of her own Christian popul almost always sufficient; there is nothing lation; and we can see the reason wh more certain to insure a quiet night's rest. Constantinople is actually behind man Exercise is one of the needs of the growing | Western cities naturally far lass favoured infant, not only tossing and trotting—the than herself. Turkey has almost unrivale latter an abomination—but by a systematic resources, which still remain but very pa comed by the child as a regular performance, strong, wise, liberal government-n govern although never allowed to become wearisome ment which shall exist and be administered by repetition. For instance, to culture case in the interest of the people, honestly an and grace in the after movements; the limbs economically; give her roads which sha should be equally strongthened. An elastic facilitate the bringing of her produce of ever -walk depends on all the muscles of the toot sort to the sea; encourage her agriculture being brought into play. The five little toes work her mines, develop her manufacture are not merely relics of possible hipparion and there would not be a city in the worl

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vory sight of a tooth lick sets Merrissw Imperial livery. The entire show costs you than blonde. I mut, just now, a Russian print Livery erazy, and it's no wonder, is it?" a rouble, and when you omerge into the open less who is renowned for her black hair and Anyman who feels interested in toothpick the gorgeously utlined schwerer, or hall porter, blue eyes, a combination which gave her, an culture can find a good opening near Smyrna. will be well satisfied with a fee of 15 copecks excessive that m. Well! Even one is detern Christian Merrillew wants to sell out.—Max Adeler in for helping you on with your pelisse and your mined to have blonde hair. And sho has Deutschland Jon 17 Sieman golosbes. I mention this trifling fact not succeeded in Tuining har lace.

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